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Please Note:

New vendors and subcontractors must supply all required paperwork (Appendix 1, Financial Statement, and 3 Reference Letters) and must register in the Online Representations and Certifications Application (ORCA). In addition, all vendors must also be registered in the CCR, within 48 hours after bid opening or your company may be considered non-responsive.

FV-305

Fruit and Vegetable Programs

Date Issued: February 15, 2008

Canned Juice, Announcement FV-305, Invitation 067

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) invites offers to sell canned juice as indicated below and per the Announcement for distribution to the needy families and other domestic food assistance programs. Offers are due by **1 p.m., Central time, Friday, February 29, 2008**. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, March 14, 2008. Deliveries are to be made from April 16, 2008 through June 30, 2008.

Offers are invited from the trade for the following Canned Juices:

Product	Container Size	Number of Cases
Grapefruit Juice	46 oz. can	39,032 cases

No offer will be made to 8(a) vendors on this invitation.

All prime vendors are reminded that they are prohibited from subcontracting with companies or individuals that have been suspended or debarred.

All invitations with orders for the state of New York must have the pack date stamped on the outside of each carton. The pack date should be annotated as per the following example: (05/01/2003). Orders for the state of New York requiring this special marking will be indicated by (**). This applies to New York orders "Only," if and when they appear on an invitation.

Bids must be submitted electronically via the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) on the internet. Offerors who submit bids using other than DEBES, will be deemed non-responsive. Offeror must be assigned a Logon ID by USDA to access the



site. The Internet address is: <http://pcsd.usda.gov/debes> which translates into a connection of <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?> Once connected, follow the online procedures. A AHELP@ button provides detailed instructions for using the system or call 202-720-4517 for assistance.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Inquiries about Announcement FV-305, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Canned Juice dated April 2004, CID A-A-20327 (for cranberry/apple juice), or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/ Fruit and Vegetable Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0239, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-9410, telephone (202) 720-4517. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the World Wide Web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered to destination basis, subject to Announcement FV-305, to the listed locations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Split shipments are indicated by a single asterisk.

ANNOUNCEMENT : FV305
 INVITATION : 067
 COMM GROUP : 32 FRUIT JUICE CANNED
 COMM TYPE : 30 GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, CANNED
 PACK SIZE : 46 12/46 OZ CAN

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (CSE)	PRICE PER (CSE)
DELIVERY PERIOD 04/16/08 - 04/30/08					
001	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
002	BOISE	ID	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
003	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	190	_____
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	762	_____
004	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,904	_____
005	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,904	_____
006	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	1,904	_____
007	SEATTLE WHSE (ALASKA)	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
008	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
009	TACOMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
010	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	429	_____
	TACOMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	203	_____
	YAKIMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	320	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 05/01/08 - 05/15/08					
011	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
012	COEUR D'ALENE	ID	TRUCK ONLY	476	_____
	LEWISTON	ID	TRUCK ONLY	476	_____
013	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	618	_____
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	334	_____

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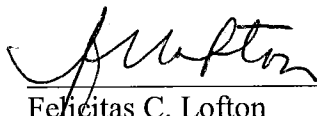
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DELIVERY PERIOD 05/01/08 - 05/15/08					
014	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	190	_____
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	762	_____
015	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	2,856	_____
016	MOSES LAKE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	503	_____
	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	284	_____
	SPOKANE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	165	_____
017	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	2,856	_____
018	SHELTON	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
019	YAKIMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 05/16/08 - 05/31/08					
020	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
021	OLYMPIA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
022	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
023	VANCOUVER	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/01/08 - 06/15/08					
024	HELENA	MT	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
025	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	2,856	_____
026	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	402	_____
	SHELTON	WA	TRUCK ONLY	550	_____
027	TACOMA	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____

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028	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	190	_____
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	762	_____
029	PORTLAND	OR	TRUCK ONLY	1,904	_____
030	SEATTLE	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____
031	SEATTLE WHSE (ALASKA)	WA	TRUCK ONLY	952	_____

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 39,032

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